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**MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR**

**SUBJECT: NIE 36-64: MAIN TRENDS IN THE ARAB WORLD**

**BACKGROUND**

1. This estimate was proposed by ONE as part of its regular schedule.

**SUBSTANCE**

2. We encountered no particular difficulties in the preparation of this paper and do not expect any problems to arise at the USIB meeting.

**FOR THE BOARD OF NATIONAL ESTIMATES:**

*Abbot Smith*

**ABBOT SMITH**  
Acting Chairman

